FORM 6

South Dakota Board of Technical Education Notice of Public Hearing to Adopt Rules

A public hearing will be held telephonically on August 24, 2021, at 10:00 am (Central), to consider the amendment of proposed Administrative Rules of South Dakota numbered

§§ 24:59:01 (Postsecondary Technical Institute Programs) and 24:59:05 (Postsecondary Technical Institute Instructor Salary Support)

§§ 24:59:01: The effect of the proposed rules will be the repeal of Chapter 24:59:01.

The reason for adopting the proposed rules is to remove outdated references, allow the technical colleges to operate in in the most cost-effective and efficient manner, and maximize flexibility to ensure the needs of employers and industry partners are met in a constantly changing job. Administrative processes are outlined in publicly accessible Board policies: https://bote.sd.gov/policies.aspx.

§§ 24:59:05: The effect of the rules will be to change the distribution methodology of funds and update rule language to reflect the recent "technical institute" to "technical college" name change.

The reason for adopting the proposed rules is to create a more equitable distribution methodology, clarify administrative requirements, and update language to align with SDCL.

Persons interested in presenting amendments, data, opinions, and arguments for or against the proposed rules may appear in-person at the hearing, or mail or e-mail them to the South Dakota Board of Technical Education, 800 Governors Drive, Pierre, SD 57006 and Nick.Wendell@state.sd.us. The deadline to submit any such written comments for consideration at least seventy-two hours before the public hearing.

After the written comment period, the South Dakota Board of Technical Education will consider all written and oral comments it receives on the proposed rules. The South Dakota Board of Technical Education may modify or amend a proposed rule at that time to include or exclude matters that are described in this notice.

For Persons with Disabilities: This hearing will be located at a physically accessible place. Please contact the South Dakota Board of Technical Education at least 48 hours before the public hearing if you have special needs for which special arrangements can be made by calling 605-773-3134.

For information on participating in the teleconference, e-mail <u>Nick.Wendell@state.sd.us</u> or referencing <u>https://boardsandcommissions.sd.gov/Meetings.aspx?BoardID=192</u>.

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained without charge from:

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